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CERTIFIED - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Thomas J. Suchoski State of Utah Department of Natural Resources Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining 1588 West North Temple

Salt Lake City, UT 84116



DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

NOTICE OF INTENT TO COMMENCE EXPLORATORY DRILLING

Dear Tom:

In conjunction with our drilling program as referenced in your letter of June 26, 1980, Coal Search plans to drill one additional exploratory hole into fee coal controlled by Coal Search. The surface property rights are held by Bill and Rodger Nielsen.

General requirements are available below:

## 1 & 2. Persons Responsible:

Leon J. Mayhew Vice President and General Manager Coal Search Corporation P.O. Box V Salina, UT 84654

Julian Mitchell Mine Superintendent P.O. Box V Salina, UT 84654

3. Description of Exploration Area:

T.23S.,R.4E. Section 27  $SE_4^1SE_2^1$  A map at 1:24,000 is attached.

Mr. Thomas J. Suchoski Page 2 October 8, 1980 Period of Intended Exploration: 4. Fall and early winter, 1980, or spring, 1981, depending upon weather conditions. Right to Enter: 5. Coal Search and the surface owners have discussed the exploration program and are in full agreement. The address and telephone number for the surface owner is: Rodger Nielsen 18 West 200 North Salina, UT 84654 Telephone (801) 529-3979 Proof of this agreement is available if requested. Protection of the Environment: 6. This drill hole will be located to the side of an existing road. The only construction anticipated would be for a sump to contain drilling fluids. The sump will be backfilled when it becomes reasonably free of water. The disturbed area will be reclaimed with the appropriate seeding mixture. No open fires will be allowed, and the drill rigs will be equipped with fire-fighting apparatus. Wildlife will not be harassed. The site has been cleared by a recognized archaeologist from the Museum of Northern Arizona. Should any clarification be required, you can contact me here in Salina. Sincerely, Tom Hurst Sr. Mining Engineer jpb Enclosure